Region 2/ Knox County

Mental Health Planning Region 2 area is comprised of Anderson, Blount, Campbell, Claiborne, Cocke, Grainger, Hamblen, Jefferson, Knox, Loudon, Monroe, Morgan, Roane, Scott, Sevier, and Union Counties.

In this region, TDMHDD estimates **253,021** TennCare enrollees, of which **15,852** are persons with serious and persistent mental illness (SPMI). Out of this group, TDMHDD estimates that **43,036** persons will lose their TennCare coverage, including **3,983** persons with SPMI (TennCare Standard only).

County	SPMI Losing Coverage
Anderson	236
Blount	476
Campbell	165
Claiborne	154
Cocke	215
Grainger	87
Hamblen	176
Jefferson	184
Knox	1,270
Loudon	161
Monroe	156
Morgan	59
Roane	162
Scott	52
Sevier	331
Union	99
Total	3,983

In Knox County, TDMHDD estimates **10,365** persons will lose their TennCare coverage including **1,270** persons with serious and persistent mental illness (SPMI) (TennCare Standard only).

Tennessee will provide the funding for community-based, non-profit mental health agencies to continue key mental health services for patients with severe mental illness who will come off TennCare. In the Knox County area, this includes:

1. Cherokee Health

Disenrollee contact number: (423) 586-5031

2. Helen Ross McNabb

Disenrollee contact name: Candace Allen Disenrollee contact number: (865) 637-9711

3. Ridgeview

Disenrollee contact name: Jan Hooks

Disenrollee contact number: (865) 276-1216

TDMHDD encourages Tennesseans with severe mental illness coming off TennCare to **register** with participating agencies for the Mental Health Safety Net in order to immediately begin receiving key services.